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# THE CHINA MAIL.

PUBLISHED EVERY EVENING, AND WITH WHICH IS INCORPORATED THE "HONGKONG EVENING MAIL AND SHIPPING LIST."

Vol. XXV. No. 1993. 號二十月九年九十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER, 1899. 日七十月八年巳己治同 PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

**AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.**  
LONDON: F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GUYTON STREET, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORDON, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. RAY & HENRY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C.  
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND: GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney.  
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: W. H. & R. BAYNE, San Francisco.  
SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND MALACCA: G. & C. CO., Singapore, Penang, and Malacca.  
MAMBA, C. H. HARRIS & CO.

**Arrivals.**  
Sept. 21, Transient, B.M. steamer, 1186, Early, Bombay, Galle, Penang and Singapore, Sept. 3, 8, 13 and 16, Mails, Opium and Treasure, P. & O. Co.  
Sept. 22, Kwang Tung, British steamer, 406, Pinnau, Foochow, Amoy and Swatow, Sept. 19, 20 and 21, General, DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & CO.

**Departures.**  
Sept. 22, China, for Yokohama, 22, Amoy, for Shanghai.  
22, Amoy, for Manila.  
22, Amoy, for Manila.

**Passengers.**  
ARRIVED: Per Kwang Tung, Miss Barrington, Mr. Law, Capt. Findlay, Messrs. Severous, 4 European deck and 50 Chinese.

**Shipping Reports.**  
S. S. Kwang Tung reports having left Foochow on the 19th, Amoy 20th, Swatow 21st, having experienced light S.W. winds and fine weather throughout. H. M. S. Hornet and Gracchopper were in Foochow when the Kwang Tung left, the latter steamer and Fuso were in Amoy, and changes in Swatow were made the same afternoon for this. No vessel seen outside.

**New Advertisements.**  
**NOTICE.**  
We have authorized Mr. H. HARRIS to represent our firm in the sale of the following property:—  
C. W. HARRIS, PALLANEE & CO., Hongkong, September 22, 1899. cc22

**FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.**  
The American ship "Kwang Tung," Captain Pinnau, will have immediate dispatch for the above ports.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & CO., Hongkong, September 22, 1899.

**VALUABLE BOOKS.**  
THE HOLY CATHOLIC BIBLE, TRANSLATED FROM THE LATIN VULGATE, with a full and complete explanatory Notes, Annotations, References, and Historical and Chronological Index, from the last London and Dublin Editions. Elegantly illustrated and bound in full antique morocco, extra gilt, making the most beautiful and accurate printed Catholic Bible in the world.

**SHAKESPEARE'S COMPLETE WORKS.**  
His Plays, Poems, and Life, with the latest and most complete explanatory Notes, Annotations, References, and Historical and Chronological Index, from the last London and Dublin Editions. Elegantly illustrated and bound in full antique morocco, extra gilt, making the most beautiful and accurate printed Shakespeare's Works in the world.

**THE POSTAL WORKS OF LORD BYRON.**  
By Thomas Moore. Illustrated with fine steel engravings, embracing the principal Female Characters, Landscapes, and Historical subjects; one vol. quarto; antique binding.

**SPEAR & FISKE.**  
HONGKONG, September 20, 1899. cc23

**THE FRENCH DISPENSARY.**  
The interest and responsibility of Mr. J. L. BRITTO, in our firm, ceased on the 15th (instant), and Mr. J. L. BRITTO, having been admitted a Partner therein, on the 1st January next.

**NOTICE.**  
With reference to the above, the undersigned begs to notify that the business of the FRENCH DISPENSARY will be conducted henceforward in his own name.

**THE FRENCH DISPENSARY.**  
ESTABLISHED 1853.  
QUEEN'S ROAD, No. 118.  
J. L. BRITTO, Chemist and Druggist of 24 years standing.

**MEDICINE CHESTS REFITTED.**  
On the shortest notice and at the lowest possible price.

**Medicine Chests Refitted.**  
Fresh Medicine supplied on hand, and received by Oriel.

**New Advertisements.**  
**MR. FRANZ ENGEL.**  
BEGS to notify the community of Hongkong that he has established himself as Teacher of the PIANO, HARMONIUM, VIOLIN, and ALL WIND INSTRUMENTS.  
Mr. ENGEL has been for many years Bandmaster in the Austrian Service, and is well qualified as a Teacher and Performer.  
INSTRUMENTS TUNED AND REPAIRED.  
Piano Tuning, by the best hands, and all repairs, by the best hands, at the lowest possible price.

**ILLUMINATIONS.**  
TRANSPARENT, TRIUMPHAL, ARCHES.  
And other DECORATIONS.  
For the approaching visit of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

**THE UNDERSIGNED** is now prepared to execute orders for the above. All information in reference thereto, can be obtained from Messrs. WILSON & SAWAY.

**JOHN B. HOLLAND,** Studio Artist &c. Hongkong, July 5, 1899.

**LONDON INN AND BILLIARD ROOM.**  
Corner of Aberdeen Street and Queen's Road.  
VISITORS will meet with every comfort in the above establishment, it having been thoroughly renovated.

**EXPOSURE OF BELLS ACCOMMODATED ON THE MOST REASONABLE TERMS.**  
Hot and Cold Baths at all Hours.

**G. W. SNELLING,** Proprietor. Hongkong, September 11, 1899. cc25

**MISS ROSIE** has received a choice assortment of Ladies' BONNETS and HATS, Tulle Hat and Bonnet SHAPES, Infants' white silk BONNETS and HOODS, Children's straw HATS in all sizes.

**BONNETS in great variety.**  
BEIJING in all shades. Black and colored FICHUS. Blonde LACES. Muslin INSERTION and TRIMMING. French FLOWERS, OSTRICH & FAN-OY FEATHERS.

**Berlin WOOL WORK.**  
Smoking CAPS, &c. Ladies' and Children's BOOTS & SHOES. HENRIETTA'S PERFUMERY.

**WELLINGTON STREET.**  
Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, August 26, 1899.

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex Cheval, British, Empire, Invincible, and Others.  
At MODERATE PRICES.

**NEW INVOICES OF CHAMPAGNES.**  
etc., etc., etc.

**FEIDSBICK & Co.'s Dry MONOPOL.**  
In quarts and pints, first class Dry Wine.

**Perrier, Jouet & Co's Pale DRY WINE.**  
In quarts and pints, first class Dry Wine.

**De St. Marcoux & Co's CARTE BLANCHE.**  
In quarts and pints, first class Dry Wine.

**New Advertisements.**  
**SIGNOR RAFFAELLE ABBROCCO.**  
THE GREAT ITALIAN VOCALIST AND SOLO SINGING.  
BEGS to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen of Hongkong that he will give One Society Musical.  
On a date hereafter to be advertised.  
Hongkong, September 20, 1899. cc27

**HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
The company will be CLOSED from the 22nd September, 1899, till the 24th September, 1899, inclusive.

**A. NEWTON,** Manager. Hongkong, September 9, 1899. cc28

**DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS.**  
HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong, Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street.

**THE UNDERSIGNED** will sell by Public Auction, on the 23rd September, 1899, at 12 o'clock, at this Sales Room, Commercial Bank Buildings.

**THURSDAY.**  
50 barrels American Mince Beef.  
10 cases American Tobacco.  
10 cases Gold Leaf Tobacco.  
100 boxes Yellow Soap.

**20 cases quarts Ale.**  
8 cases pints Ale.  
17 cases quarts Porter.  
19 cases each 4 doz. tins Condensed Milk.

**6 doz. quart bottles Walkden's Writing Ink.**  
30 doz. Lavender Water.  
100 doz. packs Playing Cards.  
A few sets Table Cutlery.

**Orlean Shirts, Fancy Stuffs, Ties, Scarfs, Coat and Vest Buttons, &c., &c., &c.**  
A well assorted Invoice of fancy Toilet Soap.

**For account of the concerned,**  
(More or less damaged by sea water).  
S&Co. (in demand) 1 case 41 pairs of H. 3643.

**TERMS OF SALE.**—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

**J. M. ARMSTRONG,** Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 21, 1899. cc23

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
L. AMBERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

**MONDAY,**  
the 27th September, 1899, at 11 o'clock A.M.

**That Piece or Parcel of LAND** with Dwelling House standing thereon, situate in Peel Street and Registered in the Land Office as Section 4 of Island Lot No. 174.

**Crown Rent, \$35 per annum.**  
TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, and the remainder on completion of Transfer.

**Auctions.**  
**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
**ELEGANT ENGLISH AND CANTON MADE FURNITURE, CHOICE WINES, &c.**  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the residence of G. A. ARMSTRONG, Esq., Albany, on

**FRIDAY,**  
the 24th September, 1899, at 10 o'clock A.M., at the Store of Messrs. DE SILVER & Co., Pinnau, their entire STOCK-IN-TRADE, comprising:

**Oilman's Stores, Hardware, Fairbank's Scales, Canvas, Rope, Sheet Copper, Boiler and Steam Plates, Yellow Metal and Nails, Plated Ware, Crockery and Glassware, Lanterns, &c., &c., &c.**

**Office Furniture, Iron Safes, Store Fixtures, one Horse Boat, with Awning, Oars, etc., complete.**  
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

**J. M. ARMSTRONG,** Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 14, 1899. cc24

**THE UNDERSIGNED** has received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, on

**MONDAY,**  
the 27th day of September, 1899, at Noon, on the Premises, under the powers of sale contained in the Deed of Mortgage.

**INLAND Lots Nos. 560, 561 and 562,** with the CHINESE HOUSES thereon, situate in Bonham Strand, exactly opposite to and facing the New Water Police Station.

**For further particulars, apply to the Undersigned.**  
TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer. All expenses of transfer to be paid by the purchaser. Property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

**J. M. ARMSTRONG,** Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 14, 1899. cc27

**HOME-MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.**  
THE UNDERSIGNED will sell by Public Auction, at the Residence of T. D. TILLINGHAM, Esq., No. 4 Elgin Terrace, on

**TUESDAY,**  
the 28th September, 1899, at Noon.

**The whole of the Household FURNITURE, comprising:**  
A handsome Bedroom Suit, Leather Covered Chairs, Rep Covered Couches, Marble Top Tables and Teapots, Oil Paintings and Engravings, Pier Glass, Side Board, Whatnots, Black Walnut Dining Table, Dinner Set, Silver, Electro Plate and Glassware, Lamps, Carpets, &c., &c., &c.

**TERMS OF SALE.**—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

**J. M. ARMSTRONG,** Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 15, 1899. cc28

**Auctions.**  
**HER Majesty's Vessel RIFLEMAN** and the Gun Boat WEAZEL and MUSTARD will be sold by Auction at the Naval Yard, Hongkong, on

**THURSDAY,**  
the 23rd September, 1899.

**The following are the particulars:**  
"Riflesman," 486 Tons, 100 Horse Power. She is three mast schooner rigged (standing wire rigging complete), has all her Masts and Yards, one suit of Sails, two Anchors, one hundred and sixty-two fathoms of Chain Cable, Davits, Stanchions, etc. The Boilers (2 in no.) are good; but the Engines require repair.

"Weazel," 235 Tons, 60 Horse Power. The Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3 in no.) are unfit for high pressure. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, one Downton's Pump; but no Masts, Yards or Sails.

"Distard," 234 Tons, 60 Horse Power. The Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3 in no.) are considerably worn but repairable. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, Awning, one Downton's Pump and Firebricks; but no Masts, Yards or Sails.

Further particulars can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

**ALFRED H. PRICE,** Naval Storekeeper. Hongkong, August 28, 1899. no18

**BANKS.**  
**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

**THE DIVIDEND** declared for the half year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve pence per share, amounting to \$7.60 per paid-up share of \$125, and \$1.50 per share on which \$250 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY the 19th instant, at the Office of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 16, 1899.

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.**  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz:

On 1st July, 1899, \$25  
1st July, 1897, 25  
1st Jan., 1872, 25  
1st Jan., 1879, 25

**\$100.**  
Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due; and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 2, 1899.

**Shipping.**  
**FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.**  
The steam-ship "DOUGLAS" Captain Toppin, will leave for the above Ports, on THURSDAY Next, the 23rd instant, at 2 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1899. cc23

**FOR MANILA.**  
The American barque "MARI BOZARIO" Captain Toppin, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1899.

**FOR NEW YORK.**  
The A 1 British ship "OLIVER CHOMWELL" will load at Whampoa for the above port.

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1899. cc24

**FOR NAGASAKI, DIRECT.**  
The A 1 British barque "ELEANOR" Captain Toppin, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1899.

**FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.**  
The A 1 British ship "COZYME" Captain Toppin, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 18, 1899.

**FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.**  
The A 1 British ship "ROXBOROUGH CASTLE" Captain Toppin, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. East Point, September 17, 1899.

**FOR NEW YORK.**  
The American ship "GOOD HOPE" Captain Toppin, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 14, 1899. cc25

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
The American barque "GALVESTON" Captain Toppin, will follow the North Star, for the above port, and have dispatch.

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, September 3, 1899. cc26

**FOR NEW YORK.**  
The North German Barque "DOCTOR PETERMANN" Captain Toppin, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight, apply to DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co. Hongkong, August 18, 1899. cc27

**NOTICES TO Consignees.**  
**DUTCH BARQUE MARIA LOUISA** ANTONIETTE, from HAMBURG.

CONSIGNES of Cargo by above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at consignee's expense.

**BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.** Hongkong, August 30, 1899.

**O. S. S. Coy. STRAMER "TYCHO BEAHE" from LIVERPOOL.**  
CONSIGNES of Cargo by the above Steamer, due here about the 24th instant, are hereby informed that the same will be landed and stored at their risk, according to the clause in the Bills of Lading, in the Godown situated under Messrs. Russell & Co.'s Office.

Those having the option of receiving their Goods either here or at Shanghai are requested to state at once, at which port delivery will be taken.

**HIRLEY & Co.** Hongkong, September 16, 1899.

**NOTICE.**  
THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Cambridge," 22 February, 1899.  
GFO 18988. 1 case Chemicals.  
Ex "Domini," 20th July, 1899.  
JO 4. 1 case Effects.

Ex "Hoofly," 23rd August, 1899.  
CMT. 1 case Bedding.  
VES. 1 case



















